

Table 70. Personal crimes of violence, 2004:

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**Percent distribution of self-protective measures employed
by victims, by type of measure and type of crime**

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures			
	Crimes of violence	Completed violence	Attempted/ threatened violence	Rape/ Sexual assault/a
Total number of self-protective measures	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Attacked offender with weapon	0.9	1.3 *	0.7 *	1.2 *
Attacked offender without weapon	9.6	12.5	7.8	5.4 *
Threatened offender with weapon	1.0	0.4 *	1.4	0.0
Threatened offender without weapon	1.5	1.5 *	1.5	1.3 *
Resisted or captured offender	24.7	35.0	18.3	24.4
Scared or warned offender	12.8	9.3	15.1	19.9
Persuaded or appeased offender	10.0	7.1	11.9	12.3 *
Ran away or hid	12.8	10.8	14.1	19.3
Got help or gave alarm	13.3	9.4	15.7	5.3 *
Screamed from pain or fear	2.4	5.2	0.7 *	2.7 *
Took other measures	10.7	7.3	12.9	8.2 *

Self-protective measure	Percent of self-protective measures					
	Robbery			Assault		
	Total	With injury	Without injury	Total	Aggravated	Simple
Total number of self-protective measures	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Attacked offender with weapon	0.7 *	0.0 *	1.3 *	1.0	1.9 *	0.6 *
Attacked offender without weapon	15.6	18.0	13.2 *	9.2	6.3	10.3
Threatened offender with weapon	4.4 *	0.0 *	8.6 *	0.7 *	2.3 *	0.2 *
Threatened offender without weapon	0.0 *	0.0 *	0.0 *	1.7	3.1	1.2
Resisted or captured offender	21.4	29.2	13.9	25.1	26.8	24.5
Scared or warned offender	11.8	9.4 *	14.2	12.5	9.8	13.5
Persuaded or appeased offender	8.1	6.7 *	9.4 *	10.1	11.4	9.7
Ran away or hid	16.2	11.1 *	21.2	12.0	11.8	12.1
Got help or gave alarm	12.1	12.4 *	11.7 *	14.0	13.6	14.1
Screamed from pain or fear	4.5 *	9.1 *	0.0 *	2.1	2.9 *	1.9
Took other measures	5.3 *	4.1 *	6.5 *	11.6	10.1	12.1

Note: Detail may not add to total shown because of rounding.

Some respondents may have cited more than one self-protective measure employed.

*Estimate is based on about 10 or fewer sample cases.

a/Includes verbal threats of rape and threats of sexual assault.